

In re Application of:

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NOVEL FULL-LENGTH GENOMIC RNA OF JAPANESE ENCEPHALITIS VIRUS, INFECTIOUS JEV CDNA THEREFROM,

AND USE THEREOF

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Response to Restriction Requirement and Amendment is submitted in the above-identified application responsive to the Official Action dated August 11, 2006, along with a Petition for a four-month extension of time, making a response due on or before January 11, 2007.

Please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

A **Conclusion** appears at page 13 of this paper.